Accommodation Scholarships - Academic Year 2023-24 - Call for applications

In the frame of its strategic development plan, the Department of Sciences and Methods for Engineering (DISMI) at UNIMORE reserves yearly up to 4 (four) places in affiliated housing facilities for the accommodation of International Bachelor and/or Master students who plan to undertake a Traineeship at our Department.

Requirements
The applicants should comply with at least one of the following requirements:

- Having been nominated for an Erasmus+ Traineeship grant
- Having been nominated for the Erasmus+ KA107 exchange programme
- Being enrolled in a Bachelor or Master degree at a recognized university and having already finalized a valid agreement for a Traineeship and/or Thesis preparation at DISMI.

Duration
The maximum duration of the grant is 6 months

Deadlines
The following deadlines apply to their respective envisaged Traineeship periods:

- 25/07/2023 for Traineeships taking place in the first semester (from 01/09/2023 to 28/02/2024)
- 15/12/2023 for Traineeships taking place in the second semester (from 01/02/2024 to 31/07/2024)
- 15/04/2024 for Traineeships taking place in the summer period (from 01/06/2024 to 31/08/2024)

Application procedure
Applicants should send the following documents to the contacts listed below (see the “Contacts” section):

- Valid ID or Passport
- Transcript of Records issued by the home university
- Curriculum vitae
- Proof of nomination for one of the listed mobility programmes (see the “Requirements” section) or equivalent valid agreement for Traineeship or Thesis Preparation
- Motivation letter containing a statement of research interests

In addition, applicants should mandatorily fill the online application form available on the webpage https://www.dismi.unimore.it/site/home/international/incoming-students.html or at the link included in the flyer attached to the present call for applications.

Evaluation and assignment criteria
An evaluation will be performed after each of the three deadlines listed above (see the “Deadlines” section). The results will be promptly communicated to all the applicants and will also be published on the webpage https://www.dismi.unimore.it/site/home/international.html

The evaluation will be based on the following criteria:

- Clarity and completeness of the motivation letter: applicants should clearly state their research interests and specify the scope of their Traineeship at DISMI, as well as their envisaged tutor(s)
- Existence of previous inter-institutional agreements: priority will be given to students who are enrolled at partner institutions
- CV and academic record

Please note that the places will be assigned upon availability of the aforementioned housing facilities. In the case of overlaps, adjustments could be made to the different Traineeship periods, and accommodation costs would therefore be covered only partially.

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